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## Via ECF

Honorable Denise L. Cote, U.S.D.J. United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 1910 New York, NY 10007

RE: McKenna v. Santander Investment Securities, Inc., et al.

Case No.: 21-cv-0941-DLC

Dear Judge Cote:

Nelson Mullins represents Defendants Santander Investment Securities, Inc., Santander Holdings, USA, Inc. and Omar Kariuki ("Defendants") in the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 6(b) and Your Honor's Individual Practices, Section 1.E., Defendants write to request a brief extension of the deadline to submit the Joint Pretrial Order and the necessary pretrial filings identified in Section 6 of Your Honor's Individual Practices. According to the Pretrial Scheduling Order entered on July 28, 2022, the current deadline for the parties to file their Joint Pretrial Order is September 6, 2022. Defendants request an additional 7 days, or through and including September 13, 2022 to file the Joint Pretrial Order and required pretrial filings. Defendants require additional time to evaluate and adequately prepare for trial due to counsel's prior professional and personal commitments, and the intervening holiday. Defendants have not made any previous requests for an extension of time. The requested extension will not affect other scheduled dates. Plaintiff does not oppose Defendants' request for an extension of time.

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We thank the Court for its consideration.

Respectfully yours,

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